



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6922**
Tatsuo SUZUKI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003_1580A
Serial No. 10/695,766 : Group Art Unit 1654
Filed October 30, 2003 : Examiner Patricia Leith
INFECTON PREVENTIVE OR : **Mail Stop: Amendment**
THERAPEUTIC AGENT AND FOOD

DECLARATION OF BIOLOGICAL DEPOSIT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Undersigned, attorney of record for the subject application, hereby declares:

That *Ticholoma matsutake* strain was deposited on September 14, 2000, at Independent Administrative Institution, National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (former National Institute of Bioscience and Human-Technology, Agency of Industrial Science and Technology, Japan) at 1-3, Higashi 1-chome, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki-ken 305, Japan under the Budapest Treaty, and given accession no. FERM BP-7304;

That the depository affords permanence of the deposit and ready accessibility thereto by the public if a patent is granted;

That access to the deposit during the pendency of the above-identified application will be afforded to one determined by the Commissioner to be entitled thereto under;

That all restrictions on the availability of the deposit to the public imposed by the depositor will be irrevocably removed upon the granting of the U.S. Patent on the above-identified application;

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That the Assignee acknowledges its duty to replace any such deposit should the depository be unable to furnish a sample when requested due to the condition of the deposit;

That the undersigned is authorized to execute this agreement on behalf of the Assignee; and

Undersigned further declares that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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特許手続上の微生物の寄託の国際的承認
に関するブダペスト条約

BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF MICROORGANISMS FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE

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1. 微生物の表示

（寄託者が付した識別のための表示）

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CM6271

(受託番号)

FERM BP- 7304

2. 科学的性質及び分類学上の位置

1欄の微生物には、次の事項を記載した文書が添付されていた。

- 科学的性質
- 分類学上の位置

3. 受領及び受託

本国際寄託当局は、平成12年9月14日（原寄託日）に受領した1欄の微生物を受託する。

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5. 国際寄託当局

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